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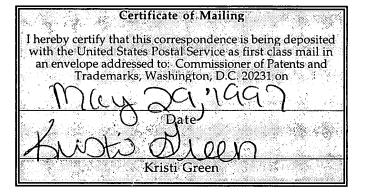
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 & REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated March 3, 1996, regarding the aboveidentified subject matter, the applicant hereby respectfully submits the following amendment and response.

Comments and Response

- 1. Applicant was duly advised by the Examiner in the above referenced office action that:
- -a) Claims 1-3, 6,7, 9-19 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) as being clearly anticipated by Goldberg and alternatively by Ory et al..